





## UGLY CHARGES.

## Naval Officers 'Accused' of Cruel Deeds.

## A Preacher Deposed for Running Away and Telling Lies.

## California Accepts Space Tendered at the World's Fair.

Gov. Markham Busy With His Forthcoming Message—Results of a Day's Racing at Bay District Track—Coast Notes.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The morning call will publish tomorrow a sensational story that charges of extreme cruelty will be preferred before Admiral Irwin, commander of the Mare Island Navy yard, against Commander Thomas Nelson, of the U.S.S. Adams. Executive Officer Adams and Master-at-Arms Keating are also included in the charges.

It is alleged that, acting under Commander Nelson's orders, they cruelly tormented an apprentice boy named August Motzick, that he is dangerously ill and liable to die from the effects of his treatment at their hands. Motzick, who is a small-sized German, 17 years old, shipped as an apprentice on the U.S.S. Adams prior to her cruise to Bering Sea last spring, from the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society of this city, where he had a good reputation. The calls say that after the ship had been in Bering Sea some time the sailors were denied fresh water for drinking purposes, contrary to the articles they signed when they shipped. Water was allowed to the Chinese servants of the officers, and the officers themselves received double allowance. The men were afraid to use salt water to wash their faces for fear of the general effect on their health. So they did not wash at all, and soon were in a filthy condition and covered with vermin. Finally Motzick was sent forward by the sailors as a committee to ask the commander for fresh water. The commander asked the boy what he wanted water for, and the boy said to clean himself with.

Thereupon Nelson ordered the executive officer, Adams, to take the boy and scrub him. Adams turned the boy over to Master-at-Arms Keating, who with a squad of men tied the boy down and scrubbed his back with canvas, sand and salt water, until it bled. They then drenched him with salt water. As a result of this treatment the boy's back was in a terrible condition. Instead of getting well, running sores formed on his back and his condition became critical.

The Adams is on her way to San Francisco from Bering Sea, and is expected here in a few days. The story was brought down by sailors on the U.S.S. Mohican, which arrived a short time ago. The call says that at first the story was not believed by it, and it was thought to be merely a sailor's yarn. Careful investigation, however, confirms the story. The fact that charges have been preferred against Nelson and his officers has been kept secret, and it is not known who preferred them.

## STILL A MYSTERY.

The identity of the Coronado Suicide Not Yet Known.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] The identity of the young woman giving the name of Otis Anderson, who committed suicide at the Hotel del Coronado on Monday night, is still unknown. Inquiry has been received from Miss Mary Wylie of Detroit, Mich., for a full description of the lady, she having registered at the hotel as coming from that city. An attempt is being made through the Farmers and Merchants' Bank of Hamburg, Iowa, to ascertain the connection existing between the dead woman and G. L. Allen of that place, who has not answered the telegram sent to him, though having, previous to the death of Miss Anderson, responded to her demand for money by telegraphing that a draft would be honored for \$25.

## CHARGED WITH MURDER.

A Skipper Accused of Shooting and Killing a Boy.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Capt. John Smith, who returned this evening from a cruise in the schooner Lou, along the lower Mexican coast in search of guano, was arrested on a charge of murder. Christopher Silberry, a boy 15 years old, swears that he witnessed an altercation between Smith and George E. Neale, a sixteen-year-old boy, on the night of November 25, at the end of which Smith threw Neale overboard and shot him while he was in the water. The difficulty arose over the captain falsely charging the boy with having cut a boat adrift in order to compel the schooner to return to San Diego. The captain refuses to talk.

## THAT MINING EXHIBIT.

The California Commission Accepts the World's Fair Space Offered.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] At a meeting of the California World's Fair Commissioners today Secretary Thompson was instructed to telegraph to Director-General Davis accepting the space reserved for California's mining exhibit. Encouraging reports have been received by the commission from the miners who are preparing the exhibits, and in addition to these, the State Mining Bureau and Academy of Sciences have signified their willingness to assist in preparing exhibits. It is probable that a portion of the best minerals of the Mining Bureau and Academy of Sciences will be sent to Chicago.

## A PREACHER'S ESCAPE.

Deprived of His Pulpit for Telling Sensational Falsehoods.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] A committee of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which has been in session in this city for several days, investigating charges against Rev. Frank E. McCallum of Elk Grove, last night completed its labors. He was found guilty and relieved of his pulpit until the meeting of the conference next September. The preacher was charged with having clandestinely left his work and with misrepresentation. A couple of months ago McCallum mysteriously disappeared from his residence one night, and it was believed that he had been robbed and murdered and his body hidden away. Finally, however, he turned up at Omaha. He related a sensational story to the effect that he had been bound, gagged and blindfolded by two men, who took him in a carriage to the mountains, placed him on board a train and ordered him to leave the country, with a warning that he would be killed if he ever returned to Elk Grove.

## SHOT HER HUSBAND.

An Olympia Editor Gets a Bullet From His Wife's Pistol.

SEATTLE (Wash.), Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Thomas Henderson Hoyd, editor of the Olympia at Olympia, was shot at 11 o'clock tonight by his wife, who lives here, and who was formerly a notorious woman at Olympia.

Hoyd came here from Olympia today and spent the evening in shaking dice and drinking in a saloon. About 10:30 p.m. he went home and took his wife in a hack. Thirty minutes later she shot him. Particulars of the shooting are not yet known. The woman was arrested.

## Bay District Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Seven furlongs: Motto won, Altus second; time 1:34.

Four and a half furlongs: Joe Cotton won, Joe Harding second, Jack the Ripper third; time 0:58.

Five furlongs: Conde won, Dick O'Neil second, time 1:08 1/2.

Six furlongs: Red Prince won, St. Croix second, Topgallant third; time 1:18 1/2.

Five sixteenths of a mile: Cheerful won, Minnie Elkins second, Carter B. third; time 1:41 1/2.

## Gov. Markham's Forthcoming Message.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 2.—Gov. Markham is very busy engaged in his forthcoming message to the Legislature. In his message, it is understood, the Governor will warmly endorse the Wright irrigation law, and speak encouragingly of the mining industry.

## THE FRENCH CRISIS.

Brissot Unable to Form a Cabinet—More Canal Disasters.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Brissot has not succeeded in forming a cabinet. He finds among all sections of the chamber dread of being mixed up in the present unfortunate situation. President Carnot has called upon M. Casimir Perier of the Moderate Left to try his hand at forming a ministry. He will do no better than M. Brissot. M. Borogio of the Radical Left appears to be the next person who will be called upon. The probabilities are, however, that M. de Freycinet, the present War Minister, will put an end to the crisis by forming a ministry by what is called here the "patching-up process."

London, Dec. 2.—A Paris correspondent gives a list of sums of money paid newspapers by the Panama Canal Company, prepared by Rossignol, former auditor in bankruptcy, as follows: Petit Journal, 1900,000; Telegraph, 120,000; Journal, 120,000; the Matin, 150,000; Gauche, 115,000; Meyer, director of the Gauche, 130,000; a radical journal, 110,000; Senator Magnier, director of L'Eclair, 100,000; Patinot, director of the Journal des Debats, 40,000. The last named denies having received any money. The other papers make no reference to the exposures.

## Rethot for Annexation.

STIMMONS (Ont.), Dec. 2.—The annexationists made a demonstration here last night that opened the eyes of the federation leaders. Nearly one thousand voters gathered in the opera-house and listened to speeches in favor of annexation. Then a vote was taken, which resulted: Annexation, 418; independence, 92; remain, 212. At the close of the meeting some one raised the Stars and Stripes, which were applauded uproariously, while the display of the union jack brought forth a storm of hisses.

## A Chance for Gregrains.

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—President Dickson, of the Olympic Club of New Orleans, today wired Capt. A.W. Cooke, offering a \$5000 purse for Alex Gregrains to fight Young Mitchell of California. Cooke, who is Gregrains' manager, accepted, provided he could not conclude his match with Fitzsimmons.

Another Meeting of the Committee on Laws and Organization.

The committee on laws of the municipal reform movement held another important meeting yesterday afternoon. The principal matters discussed were those growing out of the report of the sub-committee which was appointed to examine into the legal questions which would be involved in the enactment of laws changing the present order of city and county government.

The report suggests and advocates several radical changes, among which are the consolidation of several city and county offices, and doing away with the office of Tax Collector, throwing the duties attendant upon this branch upon the County Treasurer. The report further sets forth the fact that by adopting the amendments suggested over \$100,000 could be saved to the city alone in the management of its affairs.

It had been expected that the plans would have arrived at a state of completion before this, and that a general mass-meeting could be called this evening, on many points and propositions have been dropped out in the careful preparation of the same as to render it advisable to wait a few days or until a thoroughly digested and matured method of procedure could be agreed upon for recommendation. The meeting will, therefore, be arranged for some evening of next week.

Under the name of The Citizens' Non-partisan Reform Association, with a united effort and the continuance of the hearty interest now manifest, the organization, it is believed, will go forward in its work of reform and accomplish much for the mutual advantage of the taxpayers, irrespective of party or politics.

## RIVERS ARE UP.

## Rains Causing Inundations Up North.

## The San Joaquin Overflows a Big Ranch, Ruining Crops.

## A Stage Coach Swept Down the San Benito—The Driver Drowned.

A Great Quantity of Logs Escape from a Boom and Go Down the Sacramento—Raining in Various Places.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Rain has fallen here almost all day and this evening, and the outlook for clear weather is not encouraging at 11 o'clock tonight. Altogether upwards of eight inches has fallen here for the season, against less than one inch to the same date last year. The rivers had receded up to today, but will probably rise again tomorrow.

Col. G. W. Cummings, superintendent of the American River Land and Lumber Company, came down from Placerville today. He says the rainfall up there was nearly seventeen inches. The river rose forty-eight feet at the boom above Folsom, and swept out about two-thirds of the company's logs, which were in a check boom above the main boom. The latter was open pending some repairs, and the logs shot through. Several hundred are still in the river between Folsom and here, and will be recovered. Probably 1000 have been captured and tied up.

Col. Cummings said the main boom would not break with five miles of logs behind it.

The Sacramento River stands at 19 feet here, but was up to 27 last spring. It is reported that a day or two ago the Cosumnes River, in the Southern part of the county, rose so rapidly and high that one farmer, William Dixon, lost 1100 head of sheep. Tonight the wind reached a velocity of twenty-eight miles an hour, but is now blowing very little.

## AN ISLAND INUNDATED.

SOMONA, Dec. 2.—Reports from Tubbs Island state that the levee near the section house of the Donohue Railroad broke during last Wednesday's storm, and that a large portion of the ranch is submerged. The island, embracing several thousand acres in the agricultural land, had been summer-flooded to grain, and it is feared the damage to the growing crop will be very great. The property is owned by H. Tubbs of Oakland.

The storm still continues to rage. All day long it has been raining very hard, with no signs of abating.

## THE SAN JOAQUIN OVERFLOW.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—News was received today that the Jersey tract of 5500 acres, eight miles from Antioch, had been flooded by an overflow of the San Joaquin River, and that the labor of reclaiming it will be very great. A large crop of onions and potatoes was ruined, and the total loss is placed at \$40,000 to \$50,000. A number of lesser overflows along the San Joaquin are reported.

## STAGE DRIVER DROWNED.

HOLLISTER, Dec. 2.—Word has reached here to the effect that James Jaynes, driver of the San Benito stage, was drowned last Tuesday in attempting to cross the San Benito River about twenty miles south of this place. Both his horses were drowned. The body of one of them was found today in the river near the San Juan bridge. The stage driver, who was drowned, was the other horse have not yet been found.

## STILL RAINING.

NEWCASTLE, Dec. 2.—The storm which has been raging here was probably as severe as any ever experienced in this vicinity. The rainfall has been almost continual. The wind caused some damage to fence and other structures. The orange crop was but slightly damaged. Plowing will be at once started, and tree planting will be begun.

## A KANSAS POLITIC.

The Senatorship—The Scramble—The Candidates—The Divided Skirt.

In a private letter received by a gentleman in this city from a prominent politician in Kansas, light is thrown on the interesting political situation in that State. The letter says:

"The political situation in this State is very much mixed, and it is very hard just at present to tell what the outcome will be in regard to the election of United States Senator in 1893. The present incumbent, Senator Plumb, made vacant by his death, you will remember that ex-Governor Perkins was appointed to fill the vacancy, and he will fill the place until the meeting of the Legislature. On the death of Senator Plumb the place was conceded to naturally fall to the hands of the West, he being a bosom friend of Plumb's and one of his advisers. The Governor did not tender him the place, but he refused it, though repeatedly urged by Gov. Humphreys to accept it. Thereupon Perkins was appointed to the place, and he is now all the place until the meeting of the Legislature. On the death of Senator Plumb the place was conceded to naturally fall to the hands of the West, he being a bosom friend of Plumb's and one of his advisers. 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To tell the truth the comet seems to have flunked.

The Tufts nine is booked for victory in Monday's baseball game.

Some of those astronomers are about such guessers as Tom Carter is.

How that Panama scandal must remind Americans living in Paris of home.

What has the Democratic Herald to say about Mr. Rowan and that "Court-house ring"?

Paderewski is coming. Now that frosty cryanthenum will have to look to its laurels.

There is trouble in Samoa, and if Robert Louis Stevenson look not a little odd he will be a head.

The Brussels conference will give you some faint idea of how things will be in the next American Congress.

Dodds seems to have subjugated Dahomey, but just think, will you, of the humiliation of being lorded it over by a man named Dodds.

This seems to be the only town in the United States, of its size, that hasn't brought out a candidate for Grover's Cabinet. Why this apathy?

Mr. Tufts has had experience in public life; he is a man of affairs, who prospers in his own business, and will make an A1 Mayor for this beautiful city.

Let the Republicans of Los Angeles stand in and show the country that although there was recently a political snowstorm, over here it is always summer.

Now that the campaign is over, work will be resumed at the Temescal mine. However, this information is quite unnecessary, as no one expected anything else.

The Democratic press has been badly exercised about Superintendent of Streets Hutchinson. He has been a faithful and efficient officer, and should be kept where he is sure to do the most good.

CHARLES McFARLAND's one of the very best attorneys this city ever had. He is not an expert. The people of Los Angeles know where to find him on every proposition. He should be re-elected by all means.

E. T. WRIGHT stands at the very head of his profession as an engineer. When people want surveying done they employ Ed Wright, and when they want estimates on work he is their man. He is the man for City Engineer.

GO BACK EAST if you want to hear the news about California. Here is an able paragraph that is going the rounds of the papers beyond the divide: "San Francisco gets her water from Lake Tahoe, 150 miles distant."

UNDER Republican rule, Los Angeles has made more progress in a year than under any three or four years of Democratic domination. Old fogeyism should not be allowed to come to the fore now.

LOS ANGELES is, and of right ought to be, a Republican city. It polled a very good plurality for Harrison on the 8th of November, and there is no reason why it should not give Mr. Tufts and the rest of the Republican ticket a handsome majority.

BEFORE election Grover couldn't hear enough Democrats—he wanted to see the woods full of 'em. Now that the election is over he gets away from the hordes and fills the woods full of himself. It is so different, before taking and after taking.

The straight Republican city ticket is good enough for anybody. It is clean and strong all the way through. The only thing necessary to make it win for the people of Los Angeles, who want good men to have charge of municipal affairs, to get out and vote it.

The only danger that threatens the Republican cause is the possibility that Republicans may feel too easy in their minds about it. Let every one of them make sure to turn out and vote and get his Republican neighbors and acquaintances to do likewise, next Monday.

WHILE San Francisco and the whole northern country has been blown away west for the past four or five days, down here there has scarcely been wind enough to turn over a feather. The climate of Northern California seems to be becoming perfectly awful. This is the spot.

JAY GOULD is dead, and the country still survives; in fact there was not even a panic in Wall street. The time has been, however, when his demise would have sent things spinning down the grooves of change for the stock speculators. Gould was a very rich and a very grasping man, and he had his full share of this world's goods. He has now paid his debt to Nature, just the same as the poorest rag-picker that ever haunted a back alley.

made no mistake. He will stand squarely on this proposition, and, in voting for him, the people of Los Angeles will have the best guaranty of the right kind of a city administration.

Why Many Editors Are Skeptical.  
In the following the Rev. T. D. Talmage undertakes to explain why so many newspaper men are skeptics:

One of the greatest trials of the newspaper profession is that its members are compelled to see more of the shams of the world than any other profession. Through every newspaper office passes day after day all the wickedness of the world, all church bickering, all vanities in mourning because bereft of soap; all the dull speakers who want to be thought eloquent; all the meanness that wants to get its wares noticed gratis in the editorial columns, in order to save the tax of the advertising columns; all the men who want to be set right, who never never right; all the cracked brain philosophers with stories as long as their hair and as gloomy as their finger nails in mourning because bereft of soap; all the bodes who come to stay minutes but stay hours. Through the editorial and reportorial rooms all the follies and shams of the world are seen day after day, and temptation is to believe neither God, man nor woman. It is no surprise to me that in this profession there are some skeptical men; I only wonder that journalists believe anything.

A soldier, called to another field of duty, left Los Angeles last night, bearing with him the united will, and the unanimous regrets of the comrades and friends whom he left behind. Col. Henry C. Corbin, late Adjutant-General of the Department of Arizona, is a distinguished veteran officer who has rendered his country important and faithful service ever since boyhood, when he first went to the field from Ohio in answer to the call of President Lincoln for men to defend the Union. He is now ordered to duty in the War Department at Washington—a change which is in the nature of a promotion, and which will give him still more important duties in the line of his profession. While serving at the head of the staff of Gen. Cook in this city, Col. Corbin rendered his chief and the army services of high value, and won from his military associates warm praise and sincere friendship, which was handsomely expressed at a gathering of the staff last Thursday evening. He leaves California with regret, which is shared in by many friends. The TIMES wishes this gallant officer and good friend bon voyage, long life and further honors.

A "JIM-CROW" printing establishment known as the Daily Journal, which has long been hungry for public patronage, secured the contract for printing the ballots for the city election. The opportunity was so good for slipping in an advertisement that the tickled proprietors could not refrain from putting their imprint at the bottom of each ticket. This highly-preposterous proceeding invalidated them, as the law is very strict against anything being on the tickets outside of a prescribed formula. There was consternation at the City Hall when the assine proceeding was made known, and it was thought at one time that the tickets would all have to be printed over again. However, the Republican and Democratic committees got together and agreed not to contest the election for this informality, whichever way the result may turn out. Public officials might gain some wisdom from this experience. For the sake of saving a few dollars it is generally poor policy to patronize a cheap John establishment.

If our Democratic neighbor, the Herald, intends to jump upon the frame of the Democratic candidate for Mayor and make an example of him as a sometime member of the "Court-house ring"—one who, as a member of the Board of Supervisors, participated in the letting of that "villainous" contract for furnishing—it will have to be spry about the matter. Time is running very short. The election will take place next Monday. If Mr. Rowan is not exposed and denounced within forty-eight hours the Democratic organ of reform (for revenue only) will have to hold its peace forever after. It is too bad to have such virtuous indignation bottled up and kept until it spoils.

We very much fear that the Federated Trades is rushing into politics rather more than is good for it. It is, or should be, a trade organization, and has no more call to take a stand on political questions than a chamber of commerce or a board of trade. After the courteous treatment which the workmen received from the Republican City Convention in the indorsement of the eight-hour law, the labor bureau and the plan of official arbitration of labor disputes, it is particularly ungracious for the Federated Trades to make an attack upon the Republican ticket. When the pot-house politicians begin to using that organization to further their selfish ends, the day of its disintegration is not far off.

LIET. JOHN P. FINLEY, who has been in charge of the Pacific division of the Weather Bureau most of the time for the past four or five years, will shortly retire from that position and rejoin his regiment. The change is due to the transfer of the Weather Bureau from the War Department to the Agricultural Department. Owing to his special ability for this service, Liet. Finley has been retained at the head of the Pacific Coast Department a year after the general transfer. It seems like a misfortune to the service that a scientist who has accomplished so much for it and for the cause of meteorology should be assigned to other duties; but of such is the whirligig of official life.

INADVERTENTLY, and without intent to misrepresent, a political opponent's status. The TIMES yesterday alluded to Thomas E. Rowan as chairman of the Board of Supervisors at the time the Courthouse furniture contract was let. He was not chairman, but a member of the board. The difference was not important under the circumstances.

The Sierra Club is an organization recently formed at Berkeley to explore, enjoy, and render accessible the mountain regions of the Pacific Coast; to publish authentic information concerning them; to enlist the support and

cooperation of the people and the Government in preserving the forests and other natural features of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, and to hold property. Any movement that tends to make the mountain regions of California more accessible and better appreciated, and to preserve their forests from vandal hands, has our good will, and we hope the new club will prove a success.

EVERY man who is interested in the progress of Los Angeles should help elect a progressive city government. We must not let the machinery of evolution slip a cog at this time. We want the saloons kept under control. We want the police and other departments kept out of politics, so far as possible. We want the improvement of streets, the laying of sewers and the building of waterworks to go ahead. We want a live, progressive United States city in every sense of the word, and the way to have it is to keep the Republican party on deck.

REMEMBER we have a big sewer to build and a waterworks to begin in the next two years. It is highly essential that we have competent men to handle this work. A city engineer can save or cost us an immense sum of money. It needs no words of ours to impress upon voters the importance of voting for E. T. Wright as against his competitor, the incumbent of the office and author of that fearful and wonderful contrivance, the siphonic supplement to the outfall sewer.

The weather has cleared up. Had the rain continued over next Monday, the Republicans might have taken it as an unfavorable augury. Time out of mind, it has been a tradition that a rainy election day is bad for the Republican cause. Why it should be so we don't know. As matters stand we shall probably have beautiful weather, and all Nature will rejoice to see how thoroughly we shall wash the enemy.

It is reported that Councilman Innes, a Democratic candidate for reelection, was active in "legging" for that "jim-crow" printing office—the alleged Daily Journal—which made a mess of printing the ballots for the city. Mr. Innes appears to be in favor of something akin to Chinese cheap labor and that sort of printing which consists of leaning the form up against a worm fence and throwing apple-butter at it.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES says: "Magazine editors are wretched judges of poetry," and the man who wrote "The One-hoss Shay" lit into a fact when he said that; it weighs tons. Nine-tenths of the verse printed in the magazines is slop, and it is something of a curiosity where the editors dig up the imbecilities that write it. In the newspapers is where you get the clear stuff.

"The attempts of Street Superintendent Hutchinson to throw dust in the eyes of the people in the matter of the assessment on his employes have not proved successful," says the Herald. While this kind of weather lasts, it will be difficult for the Street Superintendent to throw dust in anybody's eyes.

We cheerfully second the nomination of Henry Watterson for the office of Postmaster-General. He is the very man of all others to handle Adlai's axe, and if Grover wants to do a great stroke of business he should look into this matter with considerable care. H. Watterson, P. M. G.—that is just great.

GERMAN inventive genius has brought out paper stockings. There is no longer any reason why Jerry Simpson should go around making a holy show of himself.

DAVE HILL hasn't seemed to be over-taken by fever since last June, but now he appears to be actually tongue-tied.

## A SHAPE FOR A SKIRT.

SPECIAL Correspondence of The Times.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Truly, with new skirts the city is "still they come!" but each fresh model has some difference in cut, and the great idea is to get with it at the edge, and a closer-fitting, tight top. The empire skirt shown in the sketch is gathered at the back, but the new short walking skirt is pleated, and the small flat pleats have at last given place to a single, box-pleat from either side, the top of which is folded flat under the center box-pleat. This short skirt is generally trimmed with fur, or some kind of trimming, in the cascade of shell ruffles made in velvet, or in a delicate velvet and silk, being exceedingly attractive. When cut in the new cloths that have



tiny silk cords or shaded lines, there is usually a seam up the front, and the material is placed slightly on the bias to obtain the pointed effect in the center. Where double-width material is employed the skirt is cut precisely the same as for the narrower width; but there is no seam up the back and none up the front, which is then cut from a half width of material. The material of the original dress in the picture was green satin marvellous shot with violet, and having a band stripe of electric blue. The corset was of the same goods and the bertha was of cream lace. What a number of pretty fancy things are to be found just now. The long-shaped buckles are wonderfully effective for wearing with a soft silk sash. I saw a mauve one worn on a black dress, and the bertha was of cream lace. The gown being of heliotrope velvet, with an Eton jacket; and jet, silver or gold ones are also much worn. Jet buttons and crystal buckles are used profusely by the milliners, and the glittering crystal stars or crescents are the proper thing for the hair.

## THE CITY CAMPAIGN.

## Meeting of the Republican City Central Committee.

All Arrangements for the Election Are Now Completed.

Every Precaution Taken to Prevent Fraud and Illegal Voting.

The Law and Order League Indorses Mr. Tufts—A Malicious Circular on the Streets—Street Superintendent Hutchinson's Position.

The City Central Committee met last night in Panorama Hall and completed final arrangements for the fight on election day. Every ward in the city is thoroughly organized by precincts, and as every detail has been looked after a full vote is an assured fact. The system of challenge which has been adopted will effectually check any attempt at illegal voting. The committee is in possession of many facts which lead them to believe that a systematic attempt will be made to vote a large proportion of the fraudulent registrations which are known to exist. Information has reached the committee that a complete list of these names has been compiled by Democratic workers, who will use every effort to get the power to run them in in those precincts where it is necessary to get Democratic votes in sufficient number to change the result as to Councilman. The money to work the scheme, rumor says, has been furnished by the members of the Liquor Dealers' Association, who are making a desperate effort to get control of the next Board of Councilmen. This organization is following out the same tactics which they used in the county election, where they used money and sacrificed every candidate on the county ticket in the interest of the candidates for Supervisor.

Certain it is that the Democratic workers are busied with money, and openly boast that they will elect five members of the Council, be the cost what it may. The hottest fights are being made in the First, Second and Fourth wards. In the Second Ward money is being used, "make" circulars have been circulated freely. It is asserted that the Democratic City Committee have not asked for campaign contributions from the candidates for Council, but have asked them to manage their own fights in their own way, regardless of the city ticket proper. The Mayor, Council and City Attorney are the candidates which will receive financial aid from interested corporations, who from time to time are in the last ditch, will stop at nothing to gain control of these branches of the municipal government.

It is asserted openly on the streets that the water company has raised a sack of money to buy the election, and to make the fight on these selected offices, and that the best talent in the Democratic party has been liberally fed to devise ways and means to carry through any program. The committee made to win, to backtrace these various schemes the Republican City Committee has called to their aid every known loyal Republican in the forty-five precincts in the city, and the response has been a most gratifying one. A system of double watchers and specially selected watchers has been adopted (which, coupled with the intense interest which has developed in the campaign, owing to the growing feeling that an attempt will be made to defeat the will of the people in the matter of the water bonds and liquor ordinances,) can only result in a signal defeat of the Democratic element. It is a fight which will decide the question of which element controls the city. The gang which has controlled the primary elections in this city in the so-called short-haired wards are making a last desperate effort to win the result of which will determine the value of ward bossism and Buckley methods. From present indications the result is a foregone conclusion. The taxpayer does not relish the prospect of a sewer and other reforms, but the city is covering the questions of water, sewers and judicious liquor legislation.

## THE FINAL RALLY.

The Seventh Ward Republican Club will hold the final rally of the campaign this evening in the Operahouse Hall, at 7:30 p.m. Hon. John Q. Tufts and other candidates will be on hand to discuss the issues of the hour. A colored glee club will furnish the music.

## LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE.

A Strong Indorsement of the Hon. John Q. Tufts for Mayor.

There is no question but what the law and order element of the city is becoming thoroughly aroused to the importance of the issues of the present municipal contest and will exert every effort to bring out the full vote at the election on Monday. The action of the Liquor Dealers' Association at the recent county election has had the effect of opening the eyes of the people to the necessity of organization, which is now making itself felt, as will be seen by the following appeal from the Citizens' Law and Order League of Los Angeles. This is a non-partisan organization, both in its membership and its objects, and acting only in the interest of good municipal government, submits the following facts and considerations:

To the legal voters of the City of Los Angeles: On Tuesday, November 18, 1890, at a special election, at which the Sunday closing of saloons was divested of party considerations and the personal influence of candidates, a majority of the voters was found favorable to such closing. Accordingly the Council passed a Sunday closing ordinance.

Having for two years experienced the benefits of this ordinance, the most notably true that a large majority of our voters wish to retain it. Should not the will of the majority prevail? And yet this law and order regulating the saloons are sure to be overturned if the candidates for Mayor and Councilmen favored by the Liquor Dealers Protective Association are elected. Representatives of this association months ago distinctly threatened to elect a majority of County Supervisors and a City Council, both of which would respect their wishes. They boasted of having thousands of dollars on deposit to effect these ends. By the publication of a confidential circular sent by the association to saloon-keepers throughout the county, urging their cooperation in electing the three Supervisors who would protect the liquor interest, the lines were clearly drawn between liquor dealers and their friends on the one hand and the rest of the voters of Los Angeles county on the other. The verdict at the polls was given to the latter. We cannot overestimate the value of this victory to the county. But in proportion to the annoyance which the Liquor Dealers' Association bore because of their defeat on the definite issue brought by themselves will be their energy and audacity in trying to push their municipal candidates into power. Their hope and one per cent in the solid union of the friends of the Liquor Association and of the friends of the forces which oppose the unrestricted sale of the saloon. Herodotus tells us that Cyrus, going to fight against the Scythians and coming to a

broad river which he was unable to cross, cut and divided it into rivers arms and sluices and so made it passable for his whole army. Let the friends of the liquor closing law be united and they will represent a stream of influence strong and deep enough to stop the march of the Liquor Dealers' Association and its army of four thousand broodless, ever which the confederate army will march to victory.

The issues which characterize a nation's career and divide citizens by rigid party lines do not characterize a municipal campaign. Let all good men unite to secure the best interests of the city. Let the most radical temperance men join us in maintaining the defenses already assured, rather than by withholding their assistance, allow all the dikes to be broken and the unstrained evils of the saloon to surge in upon our community. Let the friends of the workingman rally for the defense of his Saturday night wages and save them from the thieving Sunday saloon for the humble needs of his wife and children. Let conservative temperance men join us in maintaining the arguments which led up to the Sunday-closing ordinance remain in unabated and even augmented force.

No undertaking could be better calculated to unite good and right-minded men than this, our movement to preserve and render effective the laws which protect the young men as seeking the removal of perilous Sabbath temptations, to taxpayers as looking toward the reduction of assessments, to every friend of honest industry as fostering the economic and domestic welfare of our community, and to every philanthropist as endeavoring to ameliorate the condition of our fellowmen.

Let us, if we must, scatter our votes for all other municipal candidates according to personal friendship or partisan preference, but let us unite upon such candidates for Mayor and Councilmen as will insure to us a continuous and energetic effort of our present safeguards against the liquor.

This league has only been recently organized, but is composed of some of the best and most conservative men and women of the city, in no sense of the word "cranks," but liberal progressive people, who believe in liberty but not license, and who favor the reasonable regulation of those evils which it is not practicable to suppress. The officers of the league are as follows: President, Rev. Dr. J. W. C. Campbell; first vice-president, Rev. Dr. R. G. Hutchins; second vice-president, Rev. Dr. R. G. Hutchins; third vice-president, Mrs. G. R. Crow; secretary, Rev. A. C. Smith; treasurer, H. C. Billings.

The Executive Committee is composed of the following: W. W. Cocks, Lyman Stewart, A. M. Armour, A. K. Crawford, E. S. Field, James F. Towell, J. C. Salisbury, George A. Howard, Rev. M. Price, Rev. J. D. McDonald, L. A. Ross, W. M. Holland, W. B. Mayes, William Nicholl, Prof. Parkhill, Andrew Mullen, Ulrich Knoch, R. H. Boal, Rev. H. W. Crabbe, Rev. D. R. Colmery, Rev. F. Lavery, Rev. A. C. Smith, Rev. A. W. Rider, Rev. Thomas Henry. The league has, after investigation, indorsed Hon. John Q. Tufts for Mayor, and the following Republican nominees for the Council, and will support them at the election. They are: William Munsey, Frank S. Munson, William H. Rhodes, Freeman G. Teed, William H. Burns and Dr. George W. Campbell.

## GUERRILLA WARFARE.

A Contemptible Attack Made on Hon. John Q. Tufts.

Yesterday afternoon and last evening the following circular was being sent through the mails and handed about on the streets:

The Los Angeles Council of Labor appointed a committee to wait upon all candidates and asked them to sign the following pledge:

If elected to the office for which I am a candidate I will advocate the practice of eight hours constituting a day's labor on all city work.

I will advocate the city ownership of gas, water and electric-light system.

I will advocate a free-labor bureau.

These pledges were submitted to Mr. Rowan, the Democratic candidate for Mayor, who unhesitatingly signed them. Mr. Tufts, the Republican candidate, refused to do the same. Therefore the Council of Labor on Wednesday evening, November 30, unanimously adopted a resolution urging all unions to withhold their votes from Mr. Tufts, as his election would be antagonistic to organized labor.

## A STUPID BLUNDER.

A Large "Imprint" on the Official Ballots.

City Clerk Teed was the maddest man in town yesterday, and for a time the atmosphere on the first floor of the City Hall was lurid, while more or less excitement prevailed in political circles throughout the city. The cause of all this commotion was a stupid blunder on the part of the "jim crow" establishment that secured the printing of the official ballots for the coming election. When the matter of printing the tickets came up it was suggested in the Council that bids be secured, and Messrs. Rees, Alford and Innes were appointed a committee to attend to the matter. In due course of time bids were secured, and that of the Daily Journal, a sort of court calendar, which has been trying for several months past to secure public printing, being the lowest, the contract was awarded that concern. The price at which the work was taken was so low that no first-class establishment would have thought of touching it at the figure, but, acting under the instructions of the committee, Clerk Teed awarded the contract and awaited developments.

When the sample ballots were delivered, it was discovered that one of the most prominent lines on the ballots was the "imprint" of the concern, which appeared in bold gothic type, over-shadowing the insignificant names of the candidates' names. While this was regarded as in bad taste, no protest was made, as the ballots were merely for

the purposes of illustration, but yesterday morning, when it was discovered that the same glaring "imprint" had been appended to the regular official ballots, there was trouble all along the line.

The statute specifically states that nothing of a distinguishing character shall be placed on the ballots, and the question was raised as to whether or not the "imprint" which was quite as prominent as the name of a candidate, would not invalidate the ballots. Owing to the limited time before the election, it was impracticable to have the work done over, and there was a scurry to secure legal advice. City Attorney McFarland, on behalf of the Republicans, and Clarence Miller and Judge A. M. Stephens, on behalf of the Democrats, agreed that the "imprint" would not invalidate the ballots, as they were on all of them, and, therefore, could not be considered as of a "distinguishing character," beyond "distinguishing" the person who put it on as an ass, whereupon the Republican and Democratic Central Committees signed a stipulation that neither party would take advantage of any defect in the ticket on this account, and peace reigned once more.

While no serious damage has been done, it is possible that hereafter when important work is to be done it will be given to an establishment that can do it, without making a botch of it.

## STREET SUPERINTENDENT HUTCHINSON.

What He Says About the Two Admits.

Street Superintendent Hutchinson was yesterday asked what he had to say about Talamantes and Mellus, whose affidavits have been published, and made the following statement, which speaks for itself:

From what experience I have had with Talamantes and from the many complaints which have come to me about him, I believe him to be a foul-mouthed fellow and especially insulting to ladies. I had good cause for thinking so, as Talamantes and Mellus from the department. While a gang of my men were working in the neighborhood of Ninth street and Myrtle avenue, I saw Talamantes and Mellus then working driving a cart, one of them in the latter part of September this year drove his cart into a vacant lot at the corner of Maple avenue and Tenth street, under a tree close up to a gate leading from the property occupied by Miss M. A. Daly, and then he drove the cart to the fence. The lady came out and asked him not to hitch to the fence and not to feed there, as there were sick people in the house and that he had refused to allow them to have horses or cows on the premises. Talamantes took offense at the request of the lady and abused her in a shameful manner, using language that is too foul for print. The matter was reported to the office through the police station, if I had not been so busy, I would have investigated by my deputies, who told him of our office and that he had come a few days later the matter was reported to me, and after I had investigated it to my own satisfaction, I discharged the fellow from the department.

As for Mellus, he has no cause for complaint, as he should have not only lost his position, but should have been asked to pay for a horse which he crippled. He was at that time driving a cart, and through carelessness on his part, the horse broke a small bone in its leg. When I got to the cart, and the Council would not allow me to hire one. Mellus was asked to work in one of the ranges as a laborer until such time as the horse would be able to work or the Council would purchase another horse. He refused to do this and suggested that I lay off one of the other cart drivers and let him drive that cart and let the fellow drive the "pick and shovel" cart. I told him he could work in a gang or lay off, just as he wished, and he chose the latter. After investigating how the accident occurred I found that the accident had gone to the corral and boasted of what he had done, and that he "didn't give a—"; the city could not afford to have a horse or words to that effect. When I applied for work later I informed him that I had no work for him.

## MR. DILLON'S DEPUTIES.

The personnel of the District Attorney's office has already been stated by Mr. Dillon, and is now publicly announced. T. L. Skinner will officiate as chief deputy and Mr. Dillon's first assistant, J. R. Dupuy, A. J. Utley, M. W. Conkling and George R. Doherty making up the balance as the chief clerks. Mr. Skinner hails from the seclusion of quiet Alhambra. Mr. Utley has for some years resided in Pasadena, while the other gentlemen mentioned are all members of the Los Angeles bar. The force is thus diminished by one man in number, although it is doubted whether the future District Attorney will be able to attend fully to the business of the office without the addition of that one. It is also understood that Mr. Dillon will continue his policy of experimental economy by dispensing with the services of a deputy sheriff. Sam Prager will take the position of stenographer with the attorney.

## PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. M. Hough of No. 802 West Sixth street, this city, is a sister of the late Jay Gould.

Charles Lederer, artist-in-chief of the Chicago Herald, is in the city. Mr. Lederer is visiting California for rest and pleasure, and will remain some time, during which he will visit the opportunity of showing you his collection of the State.

No lady is likely to withdraw her hand when she has the pleasure of being watched in that manner. If you have an idea that it is about time for you to watch somebody, we have an idea that it is about time for you to honor us with a visit. Don't run away with the notion that nothing but a watch is appropriate. Almost any one of a hundred uses some other may be made to serve your purpose just as well. Whether you are a purchaser or not, we will regard as a privilege the opportunity of showing you what we can place at your disposal. You will be particularly attracted by our elegant line of the leather goods in Ladies' purses, cases, purses, traveling cases, pocketbooks, Dressing Cases, Memoranda Books in Seal, Russia Leather, Lizard and all the new shades in Leather, mounted in Sterling Silver; Cases with Gold and Silver Heads, Umbrellas and an endless assortment of Novelties in Silver. You are invited to call and see our immense display.

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## THE COURTS.

## Another Suit Involving Azusa Water Rights.

An Action Commenced Against the Azusa Irrigation Company.

Application for an Injunction to Prevent the Cutting of Ditches.

Railroad Land Case Before Judge Ross—Castillon Arraigned for Receiving Stolen Property—General Court Notes.

Another suit, involving the much disputed water rights of Azusa, is about to be commenced in the Superior Court by H. C. Register, W. W. Fraisher, Charlotte L. Carberry and Joseph Mesmer, guardian of the Fraisher minors, against the Azusa Irrigation Company, J. S. Slauson, L. W. French and William Orniston, to secure an injunction against the defendants, restraining them from interfering with certain ditches and conduits, through which is conducted water used by Register et al., for irrigation on their lands.

In the papers filed the plaintiffs allege that H. C. Register is the owner of and entitled to the possession of real estate amounting to two acres, or thereabouts, planted to orange trees, vines, etc., situated in section 10, township 1, of Los Angeles county, and that Charlotte L. Carberry is the owner of an undivided portion of section 9, containing in all about forty acres, the latter being also planted to trees and fruits, and that all requires irrigation.

And for more than thirty years there has been a ditch constructed from the San Gabriel River down to the foothills, and thence running in an easterly direction to a point near the old mill at the town of Azusa, from which point the ditch ran in a southerly direction for a few hundred yards, where it branched into two ditches, one of which ran toward the land of the plaintiff, Register, and the other toward the land of Fraisher and other plaintiffs; that for thirty years said Register and his predecessors in the interest of the land described as belonging to him, have been the owners of and entitled to the use of 100 inches of water of the San Gabriel River one day in each eight days, and that ever since the construction of said ditches they have been used for the purpose of carrying said water to said land, as well as to the other lands lying in said irrigation district, and for all that time he, as well as all other of such irrigators, had a vested and proprietary interest in said ditches for that purpose.

The plaintiff further goes on to show that the Azusa Irrigation Company, without any right to do so, was threatening to, and would, unless ordered restrained, cut the ditch referred to at a point above the place where the same branched and would divert all the water therein into another ditch, preventing any water from flowing into ditches leading to all of plaintiffs' land and will deprive them of the water they are entitled to, and also that they threaten to plow up and close the same ditches after the water has been diverted therefrom.

Upon the allegations of the plaintiffs, Judge Van Dyke has issued a temporary injunction with time set for hearing on the preliminary restraining order for December 12 at 10 o'clock.

RECEIVED STOLEN PROPERTY.—On motion of the District Attorney an information has been filed in Department One charging one John Castillon with buying and receiving property known to have been stolen and with a desire to fraudulently keep the same from the possession of the owners. The property consisted of a lot of jewelry, rings, pins, etc., which were recently stolen from W. Parris, amounting to the total valuation of \$25. Castillon purchased the jewelry from a man named Robert Williams, and upon the property being identified as that belonging to Mr. Parris the information was filed as above against the alleged "fence-keeper."

THE RAILROAD LAND CASE.—In the Circuit Court Judge Ross yesterday continued the cause of J. W. Lillenthal vs. the Southern California Railway Company, the action being to quiet title to some forty acres of land at Barstow, claimed under a Congressional grant. The defendants proceeded to present their side, and finally rested, when the counsel for plaintiff offered in rebuttal evidence certain maps. It was ordered that the counsel for the former be allowed ten days to file briefs if desired, whereupon the case would stand submitted.

The court was then adjourned until Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Court Notes.—The divorce case of Lillian McKay against her husband, George A. McKay, came up in Department Three yesterday, resulting in the defendant being granted ten days' additional time to plead.

Judge Wade was occupied most of the afternoon yesterday hearing the arguments in the Bristol-Alderman water suit. At 5 o'clock the cause was submitted.

A jury has been impaneled in Department Three to try the suit of J. J. Naramore vs. T. C. Naramore, the suit being to recover \$800 damages alleged to have been sustained through destruction of buildings belonging to plaintiff. The case goes over until Tuesday.

In Judge Van Dyke's department the J. A. Graves vs. C. E. Bean case was heard yesterday, and finally submitted on briefs.

The defendant, Wood, in the McConnell-Wood case, has been granted leave by Judge Van Dyke to withdraw from the files his bill of exceptions, and his motion for a further stay of proceedings of ten days granted, by consent of plaintiff upon the condition that no further stay be asked for.

By consent, the foreclosure suit of Shreve vs. Holman has been continued for hearing.

A motion to dismiss proceedings in the S. M. Moyra insolvency case was entertained by Judge Shaw in Department Five yesterday, and a restraining order also granted the petitioner.

In the Probate Court Judge Clark dismissed yesterday citations in the matter of the estate of T. J. de Oliveira, deceased, and admitted to probate without bond the will of A. H. Denker.

He also set time for hearing the objection to the first account of executors in the estate of Helman, deceased.

The damage suit of Fox against the Southern Pacific Company was continued for resetting yesterday, and finally fixed for Tuesday next.

Judge Stanton in the Township Court yesterday continued the case of Fobin McGinley for argument, until Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

New Suits.—Among the documents filed with the County Clerk yesterday were the preliminary papers in the following new cases:

Charles H. McArthur vs. J. H. John-

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A COMBINATION of circumstances has made it impossible for people to wade through mud and rain to do a large amount of trading. It is true this mud and rain is the making of at least 25 per cent more business as soon as the weather clears up. People now have time to read advertisements, and we know from present indications our December trade will be the largest in the annals of this business. The linen department alone will more than quadruple sales. During the rainy weather it has more than doubled. Linen headquarters will be here without a doubt. There is every indication for it. Our linen trade now is the largest we have ever had. The restaurant and hotel business has been helping us out during the rainy weather. Our new linen room will be no disappointment to you. The goods on display and the prices are made most attractive. Towels for 25c; they are sold elsewhere for 35c. Table linens at 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1.00 that are cheaper by 25 per cent than you will find elsewhere. To make the linen trade attractive and successful, prices as well as stock is the inducement we offer. This is the best linen stock in this city. It is the largest linen stock; and we have already captured the linen trade. Before you buy a dollar's worth of linens come and take a look. We are not in the habit of advertising to drive trade elsewhere. Truthful statements bring respect, and respect brings business.

The cloak trade is good. Even with the rain pouring down business is double what it was one year ago. We have the largest cloak stock. One price on every article; there is no deviation; there is no misrepresentation. Come and see the goods and you will buy. You are treated right. Goods are shown under a first-class light. There is no urging of sales. You can look without being over-persuaded. You are never asked to make an offer. The goods are all marked in plain figures and they are sold at the marked price.

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Our \$1.25 Cashmere Hose.....	reduced to 86c
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**The Weather.**  
U. S. WEATHER OFFICE, LOS ANGELES.  
Dec. 2, 1892.—At 5 a.m. the barometer registered 30.07; at 5 p.m. 30.04. Thermometer at corresponding hours showed 57° and 59°. Maximum temperature, 61°; minimum temperature, 50°. Character of weather, cloudy, with rain for the past twenty-four hours. 48° rainfall for the season, 5.88.

A novel invention whereby the celebrated Rochester lamp is being used as an oil-burning device, over 500 have been sold since October 26, 1892. They are made in three sizes, viz., Nos. 1, 2 and 3. The No. 1 being the largest and forty inches high. They are gotten up in the most attractive manner, being elaborately nickel-plated and covered by all who have seen them to be not only the handsomest, but the best oil-burning stove ever put on the market. The Nos. 1 and 2 will warm an ordinary room in a few minutes, and is capable of heating two or three rooms, and is the most economical way of doing it. Being a lamp, the combustion is perfect, consequently no soot, and every one is guaranteed to please, no sale. The inventor is F. E. Browne, Nos. 214 and 310 South Spring street, where they can be seen in operation, or sent for circular.

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Three deaths were reported yesterday by Howry & Breece, the independent undertakers, on Broadway. Henrietta E. Green, wood, age 24 years, Robert Blankes, age 51 years, and Thomas Allen, age 39 years.

The mammoth wharf at Santa Monica is now out 317 feet and still building seaward. Fish are biting freely. Tomorrow's Southern Pacific train runs to the end of the wharf. Round trip 50 cents.

Eastern oysters, any style, 30 cents a dozen. Catering for weddings and parties in or out of the city. Hollenbeck Hotel Café, Nos. 214 and 216 West Second street. J. E. Auld, proprietor.

Grand mass meeting of the People's party at Purviance Hall tonight. Candidates will all be present and a good entertainment will be furnished aside from the speaking.

This is the season to enjoy a trip over the kite-shaped track of the Southern California Railway (Santa Fé route). One fare for the complete tour on Sunday.

The Francisco-Pittieri concert, which was postponed until next Saturday, December 10, on account of the weather.

For Arrowhead Hot Springs take the 9 a.m. Santa Fé direct to Arrowhead, or Southern Pacific to San Bernardino. City office Coulter's store.

First Baptist Church—Morning, sermon; evening, lecture: Revelation. X: "The mighty Angel and open book." Sunday school, 9:30.

The remains of Robert Allen were sent to Santa Barbara yesterday for interment by Howry & Breece, the independent undertakers.

A round trip for a one-way fare on the Southern Pacific to all local points on Los Angeles tomorrow.

One fare for the round trip to all points on the Southern California Railway (Santa Fé route) on Sunday.

All kinds of sewing machines for rent; also sewing machines repaired. At No. 128 South Main street, Los Angeles.

Today is the last day of Kan Koo special sale. See ad.

Hamilton Garland charms the practical and literary man. He reads tonight at Los Angeles Theater.

Children's straight goat, patent tip button, 8 to 10, \$1.50. Hewes, No. 105 North Spring street.

Fine cabinet photos reduced to \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam Gallery, No. 236 South Main street.

A. W. Swanfeldt, tents and awnings, removed to No. 247 South Main street, see ad.

Ladies' cloth top button, \$3. Every pair warranted. Hewes, 105 N. Spring st.

The "Jewel" stores are sold by A. B. Chapman, No. 414 South Spring.

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HAMLIN GARLAND.

The Western Writer Who is Just Now Attracting so Much Attention.

A Pleasant Chat as to His Methods of Work—Stories Founded on a Plan Rather Than a Plot—His Readings Tonight.

Hamlin Garland, the writer whose books are attracting such widespread attention, was seen at the Nadeau last evening by a Times reporter, who enjoyed a twenty-minute's chat with the author.

Mr. Garland's stories deal entirely with Western life, most of the scenes being laid in the coulees and prairie country of the Mississippi Valley. He was born at La Crosse, Wis., and spent the first twenty-one years of his life on a farm, where, doubtless, he learned something of the secrets of nature, to whose heart his tales so nearly lie. In 1885, or thereabouts, his first series of sketches were published—a series of seven studies of boy life on the prairie—reminiscescences drawn from his own experience. He has been writing for the past ten or twelve years, but not until two years ago was the public acknowledgment of success accorded to him, since which time he has published six books, and has won a place second to no story writer on this continent.

At present he is working upon two or three novelettes, "For," he says, "I find my happiest work is in something ranging from fifteen to thirty-five thousand words."

When questioned as to his method of work he said: "My stories are founded on a plan rather than a plot. I never revise the plan, but I repeatedly revise the phraseology and eliminate style. I have worked for twelve years to attain simplicity and wipe out fine writing. The ideal style is simply a transparent medium of expression."

"Does authorship pay?" "Well, I am very well paid," with a satisfied smile. "The serial rights on my stories are something handsome. Where literature fails financially is in bookmaking. If I had to depend upon my books without serial rights on my newspaper and magazine stories, I could not live upon my income. There is something radically wrong about this book business. The profit goes largely to the distributor, who gets too large a percentage. How this will be remedied I do not at present know. The story published in last Sunday's Times is the only one I ever syndicated, but I shall probably syndicate more. The difficulty with magazine serials is that, with only a single publication, writers, especially prolific writers, find that the field is not wide enough. One or two serials from one writer is all a magazine can take in a year or more. So now many writers of a high order are turning to the newspaper syndicate. For instance, the Century has two of my novelettes on hand now. When they are to be published I do not know. I see they are advertising one to appear sometime during the coming year, and at this rate you see it would take two or three years to publish what I would write in less than one."

"The story in Sunday's Times—to go back to the question with which a Californian always greets a new arrival—How do you like the country? he replied that he was holding his opinion in reserve till after the flood. He said he had thought it was a dry country before he came, but had changed his opinion. He thinks, however, that he will like Los Angeles when the clouds roll by. He particularly enjoyed the trip across the desert over the Santa Fé, but when the reporter gently insinuated that he dictated a prose etching of the scene for the benefit of The Times' readers, he jocularly remarked that he generally sold those at \$25 a paragraph. "However," he added, "I will say that the descent from the barren grandeur of the San Bernardino mountains to the summer-like atmosphere and semi-tropic vegetation of the lower valley is one of the most moving and memorable of my life."

Mr. Garland's trip to California is purely for pleasure, he says, but doubtless we may in the future read many a prose etching—and perhaps a serial or two—as a result of his visit here.

This evening Mr. Garland reads from his books in the Los Angeles Theater.

ON KID'S TRAIL.  
The Renegade Will Be Followed Into Mexican Territory.

On Friday the War Department at Washington succeeded in renewing the treaty of 1890 with Mexico, whereby the army will be permitted to follow renegade Indians across the line and hunt them down.

Readers of THE TIMES are well acquainted with the acts of "Kid" and his band of Apache cutthroats, who have been carrying on some time past, but whenever the soldiers would get on a hot scent the rascal would skip across the Mexican border, and in Arizona parlance, "give them the laugh."

Yesterday Lieut. R. B. Wallace, one of the best Indian-fighters in Gen. Cook's department, was detailed to head an expedition into Mexico, consisting of three non-commissioned officers and fifteen privates and three packers with six scouts and trailers, and remain on

the Indian's trail until he is captured.

The expedition will be a hard and dangerous one, but Lieut. Wallace will have the privilege of picking the best men at the various forts in Arizona, and Gen. McCook has no doubt of the success of the trip.

Lieut. Wallace will leave Fort Bowie at once and will be ready to take up the trail in about one week and will remain on the warpath six months if necessary.

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Great and Extraordinary Inducements in Every Department Today Only—Make Hay While the Sun Shines and Get Some of These Bargains.

In order to offset the effect of the rainy spell we have made the following cuts for today:

Ladies' 5-button Kid Gloves, black and colored, worth \$1.00 a pair, for 60c.

Ladies' black, lace-trimmed, seamless Hose, 40c, worth 50c, for 35c.

Fine crepe chiffon ties, richly embroidered in plain and fancy silks, worth 75c, 90c and \$1.00, at 50c each.

Ladies' lamb's wool Vests and Pants in scarlet, white and black, worth \$1.50 to \$1.75, at \$1.00 a garment.

Gent's natural wool Shirts and Drawers, all wool, worth \$1.50 for \$1.00 each.

Pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, warranted all linen, worth 12½c to 15c, at 10c each.

Black coque feather Boas, nearly 3 yards long, \$1.50 each, worth \$2.00.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, taped and scalloped all round, worth \$1.25, at 80c a pair.

40-inch wide, silk lustre, fine black Sicilian Dress Gowns, worth 75c, for 50c a yard.

A line of dress goods in short and dress lengths at 50 per cent off regular remnant prices.

90 South Spring street, below Third.

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Today the National Prison Association will meet in Ford's Opera-house, Baltimore.

Ex-President Hayes will preside over the sessions which will last a week. It will be the most successful congress yet held, thanks to the labors of the Secretary, Rev. John L. Milligan, who has attended every congress, national and international, since the first one, in London in 1872.

Any one who has attended our special sales knows they are as represented. Tonight ends our special sale of Rattan Furniture and Baskets. These goods are 20 per cent less than they will be Monday. Be sure and avail yourself of this opportunity.

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Month's treatment, \$1.00 for 10 by mail. We guarantee six bottles to cure. Each order for six boxes with will send written guarantee to refund if not cured. Guaranteed only by E. C. WEST & SONS, Druggists, Sole agents, 520 S. Spring St., Los Angeles, Cal.

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Fall and Winter

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Messrs. Hawley, King & Co. invite inspection of their stock of fall and winter carriages in all the fashionable varieties, now on view at their branch repository,

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They would also call the attention of intending purchasers of bicycles to the fact that they carry a full line of bicycles in stock, from \$40 and upward. They have bicycles for boys, girls, men and women—all sizes, all prices, for the Christmas trade.

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Parlor Tables,  
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DR. HONG SOL has graduated and received his diploma from the medical school and University in Canton, and made his first professional practice for many years in the hospitals of Canton and Hong Kong, China. He is the sixth of a generation of doctors in his family, and has made thorough studies of all diseases of the human body. The doctor has had wide experience as a physician, and during his long life of six years in Los Angeles has made many skillful cures. The doctor cures CONSUMPTION, RHEUMATISM, ASTHMA, CATARRH, SICK HEADACHE, INDIGESTION, WAKEFULNESS AND NERVOUS TROUBLES, AND ALL DISEASES that the human body is heir to, by natural herb medicine, freshly prepared every day. No opium or poisonous drugs are used.

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MS. C. M. WALTERS,  
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10 Special Drives in Men's Shoes.

10 Special Drives in Ladies' Shoes.

Hanan & Sons' New York City make, hand-sewed calf and Cordovan, \$4.95, value \$7.00.  
Lilly, Brackett & Co., Brockton, Mass. make, hand-welt calf shoes, \$3.25, value \$4.50.  
Lilly, Brackett & Co., Brockton, Mass. make, fashionable dressy calf, \$2.50, value \$4.00.  
Chase, Merritt & Co., Boston, Mass. make, hand-welt calf shoes, \$2.95, value \$3.75.  
Chase, Merritt & Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy solid veal calf, \$2.00, value \$3.00.  
Walker & Whitman, Campello, Mass. make, hand-welt calf button shoes, \$2.50, value \$4.00.  
Walker & Whitman, Campello, Mass. make, hand-sewed lace or Congress, \$3.25, value \$4.50.  
Charles A. Coffin & Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy buff shoes, \$1.40, value \$2.25.  
Bay State Boot and Shoe Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy ranch brogans, \$1.75, value \$2.50.  
U. S. Boot and Shoe Company, Haverhill, Mass. make, heavy calf shoes, \$1.75, value \$2.50.

5 Special Drives in Misses' Shoes.

J. B. Pearl & Co., Boston, Mass. make, fine dongola patent tip, extension sole, \$1.75, value \$2.50.  
Charles W. Royce & Co., Boston, Mass. make, 'dongola patent tip heel, \$1.50, value \$2.25.  
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Pierce & Son, Haverhill, Mass. make, dongola heel shoes, \$1.00, value \$1.75.  
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Lilly, Brackett & Co., Brockton, Mass. make, all-calf school shoe, \$2.00, value \$3.00.  
Charles H. King, Weymouth, Mass. make, calf shoe, solid, \$1.75, value \$2.50.  
Rockland Shoe Co., Rockland, Mass. make, Congress dress shoe, \$1.50, value \$2.25.  
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Ladies' fine black doeskin Over-gaiters, \$1.50, value \$2.50.  
Ladies' first quality lamb's wool Soles for slippers, 25c, value 40c.  
Ladies' first quality Rubber Boots, \$2.00, value \$2.50.  
Children's first quality Rubber Boots, \$1.25, value \$1.65.  
Men's best heavy Rubber Boots, \$2.75, value \$3.25.  
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Men's, ladies' and children's Seamless Felt Slippers at bottom prices.

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Our juvenile books this year are something wonderful, and we can safely say that we can please every one, the assortment is so varied—over 250 different titles, ranging in price from 2c upward. We have a splendid stock of both linen and linen mounted books which will last for years.

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We have just received a large invoice of the celebrated Foster Kid Glove, which we are sole agents for; we carry them in all lengths and in all colors; every pair is guaranteed and fitted to the hand. We are selling the Williams 5-hks, all colors & blk, \$1.00.  
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